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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7157
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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SREF, MY
SUBJECT: INDOCHINESE BOAT CASE REFUGEES: WCRP CHARTERED VESSEL
THE M.V. "ROLAND"

REF: (A) KUALA LUMPUR 2725
(B) KUALA LUMPUR 2740

1. TRENGGANU STATE OFFICIAL TOLD US THAT AS OF AFTERNOON MAY 9 WCRP
CHARTERED VESSEL THE M.V. "ROLAND" WAS LYING OFF PULAU KAPAS, 12 MILES

SOUTHEAST OF KUALA TRENGGANU. (ALL REFUGEES HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN PUT
ASHORE AT PULAU BESAR REFUGEE CAMP 20 MILES NORTH OF KUALA TRENGGANU,
AS NOTED REFTEL B.) ACCORDING TO THIS OFFICIAL, MARINE POLICE HAVE
BEEN INSTRUCTED TO ESCORT "ROLAND" OUT OF MALAYSIAN WATERS, BUT ROLAND

CAPTAIN CONTENTS HE CANNOT LEAVE YET DUE TO INSUFFICIENT CREW AND
LACK OF INSTRUCTIONS FROM SINGAPORE.

2. REQUEST SINGAPORE AND OTHER ADDRESSEES IN TOUCH WITH WCRP OFFICIALS

PASS THIS INFORMATION TO THEM AND REITERATE OUR CONCERN THAT ARRANGE-
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MENTS BE MADE TO MOVE "ROLAND" FROM THE SCENE WITHOUT ANY FURTHER DELAY.

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